

Feedback on FY2026 IHLS Operational Plan and Budget

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Summary Of Registered Statements

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As of May 13, 2025, 12:39 PM, this forum had:

Attendees:	32
Registered Statements:	2
Minutes of Public Comment:	6

Topic Start

April 23, 2025, 8:00 AM

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Individual Registered Statements

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Kyla Waltermire

April 30, 2025, 10:46 AM

If IMLS funding is not available, how will IHLS adjust to continue offering functional 5-day delivery service as outlined in the Operational Plan? What will happen with the iLEAD portal - is the ISL providing funding in lieu of the IMLS?

Sandra West

April 30, 2025, 10:52 AM

With the recent federal government executive orders, does IHLS need to prepare for any funding cuts that may be passed to them from ISL? There was an article in the Chicago Tribune on 4/28/25 regarding the federal cuts could impact library delivery within the state. If a budget cut happens and it does affect delivery, what steps are being planned to ensure libraries continue to receive such an outstanding service? Will libraries need to consider paying for delivery services in FY2026?

IHLS does an excellent job being transparent to their stakeholders. The narrative and budget are well presented and look to be fiscally sound.